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SUBJECT : IRON ORE - EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF MIFERGUI
PARTNERS

REF: CONAKRY 0119

1. EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF GUINEAN GOVERNMENT AND CLASS B
SHAREHOLDERS IN MIFERGUI BEGAN ON JAN 22 AND ENDED JAN 24.
AT MEETING CLASS B PARTNERS AGREED TO PROVIDE 4 MILLION
DOLLARS AND GUARANTEE GUINEAN GOVERNMENT LOAN OF 3.8
MILLION TO FINANCE FINAL FEASIBILITY STUDY.

2. THE EMBASSY HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT THE JAPANESE INTERESTS
IN MIFERGUI WERE PARTICULARLY UPSET BECAUSE THE CONTRACT FOR
THE FEASIBILITY STUDY WAS AWARDED TO THE ITALIAN FIRM
TRACTIONEL AND NOT TO A JAPANESE FIRM. PRIOR TO THE
MEETING, JAPANESE BUSINESSMEN IN CONAKRY HAD SEVERELY
CRITICIZED THE PREVIOUS STUDIES MADE BY TRACTIONEL.

3. NEXT MEETING OF MIFERGUI PARTNERS WILL BE HELD IN
ALGIERS ON MARCH 23. ACCORDING TO ONE CONSORTIUM PARTNER,
AT THIS MEETING OBSERVERS AT PREVIOUS MADRID MEETING

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